



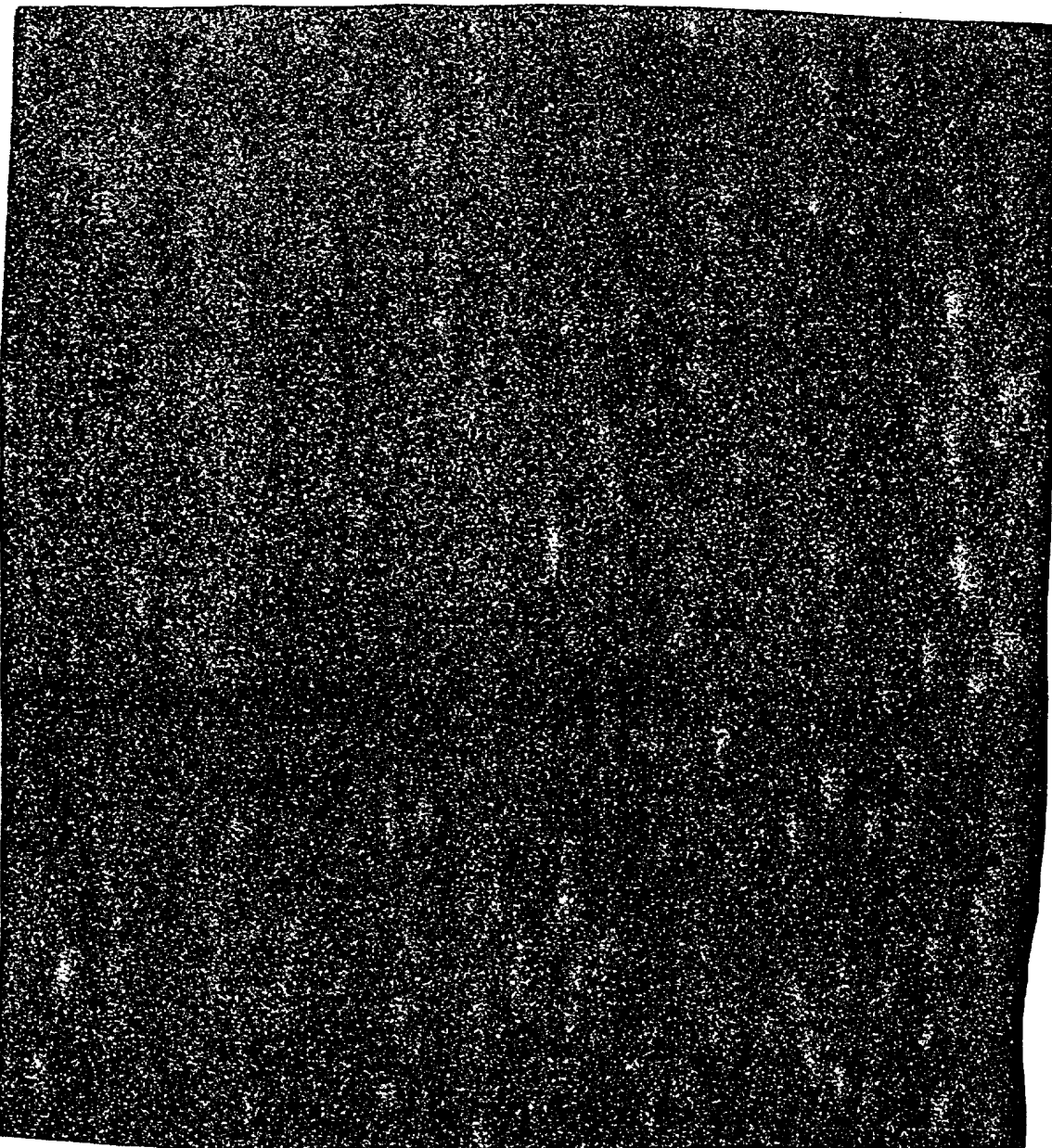
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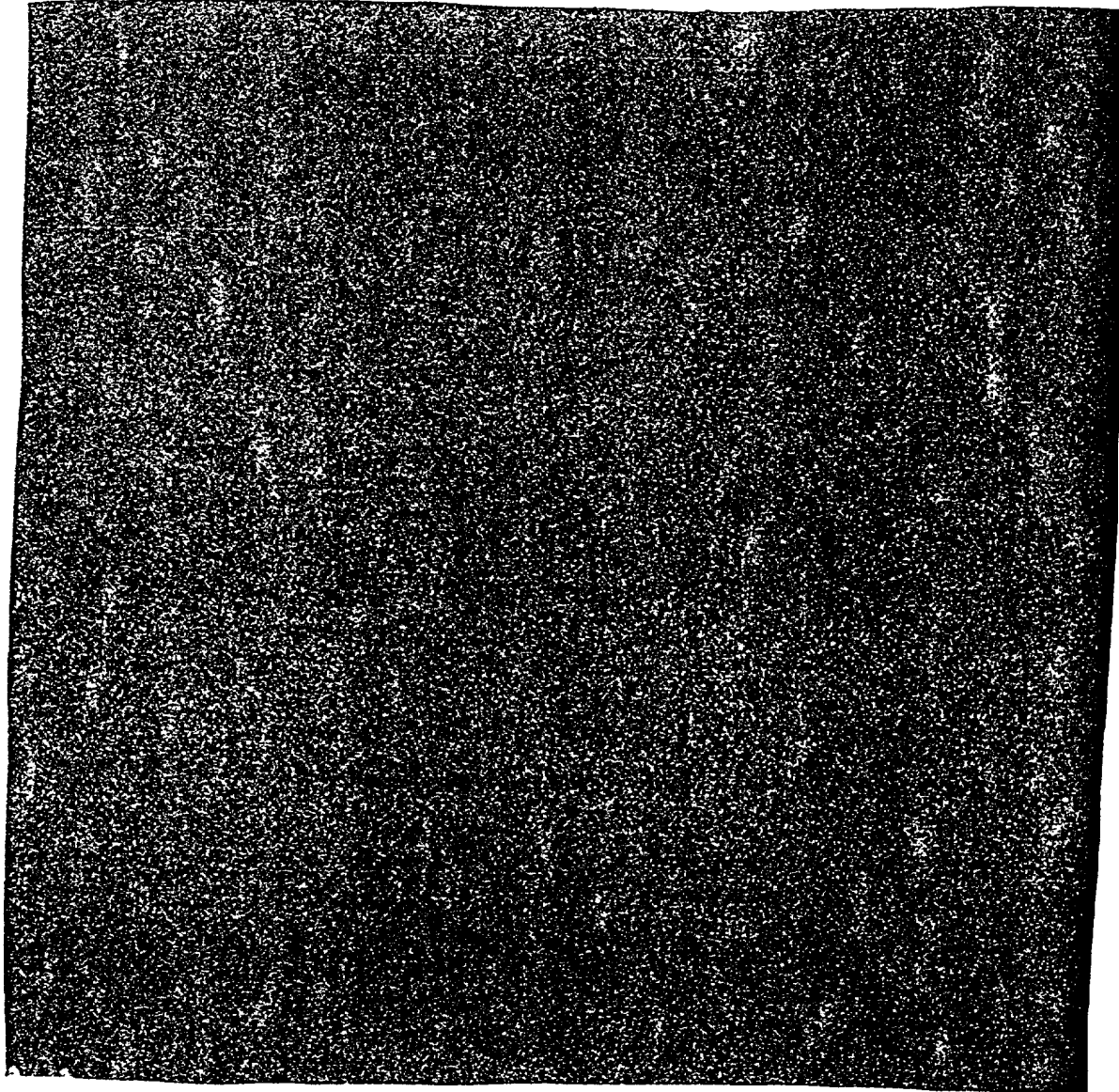
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According to Iranian press, Tehran will hold separate discussions with high-ranking delegations from Iraq, France, Yemen, and Algeria. Iran as well as other Third World countries has called on the UN to convene a formal meeting of the Security Council to assess the current situation in the Gulf and take a more active role in achieving a complete Iraqi withdrawal from

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Kuwait, the termination of the current armed conflict, and the withdrawal of foreign forces from the region. ■

A Western press agency reports that the Soviet Communist Party Central Committee yesterday adopted a resolution urging the Soviet leadership to contact the Security Council and international community to seek a cease-fire and end the bloodshed in the Gulf. ■

Representatives from 15 states of the NAM--including Iran and Cuba--will meet in Belgrade on 11-12 February to discuss Gulf peace proposals. ■

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